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- 1. As a result of the change in the production plan of the Last German Winistry of Transportation and Agricultural Machine Construction. a series of important materials, such as medium plate, drawn and deep-drawn plate, seamless pipe, and high quality bar steel, are in short supply, while in other plan positions allocations exceed the amount needed. State Secretary Solfstherefore, suggested that allocations of ship plate from imports be given back and new specifications for medium plate, drawn plate, and deep-drawn plate be drawn up.
- 2. On 7 July 1953, it was decided to strike the following amounts of ship plate from the import plen:

| 5mm | 1,200 | tons | 28mm. | 35 | tons |
|--------|-------|------|-------|-----|------|
| Grem | 2,600 | tons | SOmm | 100 | tons |
| 7mm | 2,200 | tons | 35mm | 15 | tons |
| 9mm | 300 | tons | 40mm | 30 | tons |
| Course | 300 | tons | 50mm | 130 | tons |
| 1.3mm | 150 | tons | | | |

Tetml : 7,000 tons

The Ministry has added the following allocations for rolled meterials to the impert plan:

Medium plate:

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| 3mm | x | 1,000 | X | 000ء 2 | St. | 37 | 900 | tons |
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| 4 aug | X. | 1,000 | 3 | 2,000 | St. | 37 | 1,400 | tons |
| 4nan | X | 1,500 | ж | 3,000 | ۵ŧ۵ | 37 | 1,600 | tons |
| 4 o Smit | Х | 1,000 | X | 2,000 | St. | 37 | 100 | tons |
| 3mm | х | 1,500 | х | 4,000 | it. | 42 | - 30 0 | tons |
| 4mm | X | 1,200 | ж | 5,000 | St. | 42 | 200 | tons |
| 4mmi | × | 1,500 | X | 5,000 | St. | 42 | 300 | tons |
| 4nm | ж | 1,800 | x | 5,000 | St. | 42 | 200 | tons |

Total: 5,000 tons

Drewn and Deep-drawn plate:

0.88 1 mm x 1.650 x 2.500 St. VII.23 and/or VIII.23 300 tons

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0.88 lmm x 1.000 x 2.000 St. VIII.23

2,200 tons

Alternative x 710 x 1,420

Light Plate:

0.9 - up to 3mm 1 mm x 1,000 x 2,000 St. III.23

500 tons

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